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NOVEL HETEROCYCLIC COMPOUNDS,

PREPARATION PROCESS AND INTERMEDIATES, IN PARTICULAR AS β-LACTAMASE INHIBITORS

AND ANTIBACTERIALS

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## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111(a)

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed <u>June 25, 2007</u>, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.